



# SBA Information Notice

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**TO:** ALL SBA EMPLOYEES

**CONTROL NO.:** 6000-783

**SUBJECT:** Size Standards for the Testing  
Laboratories Industry and  
Information Technology Value  
Added Resellers Industry

**EFFECTIVE:** 1/7/2004

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On December 29, 2003, two final rules were published in the *Federal Register* concerning the following changes to SBA's small business size standards:

- Testing Laboratories industry (North American Industry Classification System (NAICS) code 541380) size standard will increase from \$6 million to \$10 million in average annual receipts.
- Information Technology Value Added Resellers size standard (part of the Other Computer Related Services industry, NAICS code 541519) is being established at 150 employees. This is a new sub-industry category created by SBA for size standard purposes. It applies to businesses that primarily sell information technology equipment but also provide a significant amount of computer services. A footnote to the size standards table provides a definition of an information technology value added reseller.

Both of these size standards become effective on January 28, 2004. Copies of the rules are available on SBA's website at <http://www.sba.gov/size/indexwhatsnew.html>

Questions regarding these final rules may be referred to Bob Ray at (202) 205-6842 or at [robert.ray@sba.gov](mailto:robert.ray@sba.gov). For other information on size standards, please see [www.sba.gov/size](http://www.sba.gov/size).

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